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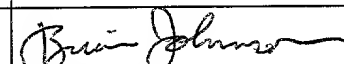
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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL <i>(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))</i>	Attorney Docket No.	590044.403
	First Inventor	Richard Leeds
	Title	SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ADAPTIVE FORUMS COMMUNICATION
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